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## Everybody Parades to the Irma Sports, Monday, Aug. 1st

### Irma Sports Billed For August 1

The Irma Sports on Monday, August 1, will open with a parade at 12 noon, prizes being given for best floats, decorated bicycles and saddle horses.

Baseball fans will be looking forward to the two games with the South Side Business Men's Club and Irma, scheduled for 3 p.m. and 6 p.m.

Ladies' softball tournament will also be a feature with good prizes, with C. S. Smallwood in charge. The men's football tournament is also in the hands of Mr. Smallwood. Gordon Fenton is arranging the men's horse shoe tournament and expects a lot of entries from the "barn yard golfers."

The kiddies will have a good time on the merry-go-rounds and other rides.

Coulman's orchestra will furnish the tinkling tunes for the wind-up dance at night.

Come with the family and enjoy the day at Irma. Booths will be well supplied with eats and soft drinks.

### Bride Elect Honored At Shower

In compliment to Miss Ethel Murphy a bride elect of early next month the ladies of the town entertained at a miscellaneous shower held at Hedley's Hall Tuesday evening, July 26th.

The hall was prettily decorated with pink and white streamers, white bells, baskets of flowers and centred with a lovely pink and white ship load of gifts which was drawn by little Miss Betty Ray Kirkman and Master Allen Symington dressed as sailors.

After an evening of singing, piano numbers, contests, and a mock wedding, the bride elect received and graciously thanked all her friends for the gifts. To conclude a pleasant evening a tasty lunch was served.

### W.I. NOTICE

The August meeting of the Irma W.I. will be held at Mrs. E. Prosser's home on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

The delegate to the Provincial Convention will give her report and if time permits the delegate to the Constituency Conference will touch on a few highlights. Mrs. Kirkman will have charge of the raffle. Mrs. Hager and Mrs. R. Ramsay will be the hostesses. Roll call, "Month I like Best and why."

### Easterly Echoes

The white house of W. Sanders has gone from our district. We understand it will finally rest in Clondonald.

Mrs. George Worthing had a pleasant visit from her cousins of Elk Point.

Mr. Harold Morse has had his house moved from the Sanders farm to his own and is now busy getting settled.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Campbell of Los Angeles, Cal., spent a week at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. R. Stougaard. From here they went to Edmonton for a visit with Mr. Campbell's relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Worthing and family are vacationing at Youngstown.

Mr. Ralph Dunlop of Indian Head was a visitor with relatives in the district.

Miss Joy Enger is holidaying at Lloydminster.

The next meeting of the Battle River W.I. will be on August 4th at the home of Mrs. H. Pascha. Roll call, "My Wedding Anniversary Date." Program, Mrs. Enger but Miss Hobey of Vegreville is expected to be present to speak on "Short Cuts in Sewing and Mending." Draw, Mrs. R. King and hostesses Mrs. A. McFarland and Mrs. Sanders.

### Buffalo Coulee W.I. Hold Successful Picnic

The annual Buffalo Coulee W.I. Picnic was held on July 8 at the new picnic grounds. In spite of chilly weather a good crowd was in attendance and every one seemed to enjoy his self.

The main attraction of the day was the ball games. In the men's event, three teams took part, namely Paschendale, Metropolitan and Albert. Metropolitan captured first money and Albert took second.

In the girls' event there were only two teams participating, Irma High and Irma North. Irma High took first prize in a very close game.

The school teams consisted of Avonglen, Education Point and Scootstown. The latter won first and Education Point second.

The horseshoe event was won by Messrs. Willard Bushay and Killion Goodwin.

There were plenty of races for the small fry and also plenty to eat. In the evening a dance was held at Albert School.

Mrs. Stanton Coulman won the rug that was raffled in aid of the Cancer Fund and Mr. Carl Sonett won the blanket.

### Glen-Coa Gleanings

Our sincere sympathy is extended to Mr. J. B. Gulbraa and family in the recent death of the former's brother, Mr. K. E. Gulbraa. It was especially sad as Mr. Gulbraa was vacationing in Canada at the time he took sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gulbraa accompanied Mrs. Knute Gulbraa and daughters back to the States for a visit to South Dakota and Montana. Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Nilson went to Calgary and Edmonton recently for a brief holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hollingen and Gordon spent the week-end in Edmonton.

Mrs. E. R. Edgington and Ricky are visiting her sister, Mrs. O. Likness.

Mr. Alfred Larson came by plane to Edmonton from Vancouver en route to Irma to visit his mother, Mrs. J. Larson and the Spring family.

Mr. Dendrew Likness has returned from the coast to see how things are progressing at home. He is pleasantly surprised to see better moisture conditions than he anticipated.

Miss Lilly Nilson is at Bawlt teaching Vacation Bible School. Hastings Lake campers are home once again after an especially pleasant week. Among those who attended from Sharon were Erling Nilson, Pat Pedel, Norma Likness and Mrs. Pedel who was Dean of girls. Miss Arlene Steffenen also had the important position of camp registrar.

Mr. Harry Pook spent the week-end in the city.

Raymond Bruneau is spending his holidays with his aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Reitan. He also spent a week at Hastings Lake Bible Camp.

### Northern Nuggets

Mr. Ronald Currie attended the Calf Club Week at the Vermilion School of Agriculture last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bars took in one day of the Edmonton Exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor and small daughter are visiting at the home of Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kellar.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Bars and also Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Currie were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hardy of Minburn.

The Buffalo Coulee W.I. ladies would like to thank all those who helped in any way at their recent picnic.

### Free T.B. Survey Planned for Irma

Every man, woman and child in the Irma area will be given the opportunity of safeguarding their health by having a free chest X-ray when a community X-ray survey begins here in September. Announced last night, the survey will be conducted by the Irma and District Board of Trade under the auspices of the Department of Health and the Alberta T.B. Association.

The announcement was made by Mr. C. P. Jones, who expressed the hope that every citizen of Irma would take advantage of this special opportunity.

In order that every Irma citizen may be registered for the survey, a house to house canvass will be made by A. C. Archibald and Committee covering a three week period before the actual survey gets underway. The clinic will be held in the Legion building and will be in operation from 9 to 12 and 2 to 5 daily.

An X-ray will take only a few moments of each person's time, Mr. Jones pointed out. The most up-to-date mobile equipment, which uses 70 mm. film and can handle 85 persons an hour will be used. These miniature plates, when read by experts, are just as accurate as full-size X-rays. A nurse will be in attendance. X-rays are taken through the clothing.

Tuberculosis of the lungs, if found in the early stage and treated, is almost always completely curable. Nevertheless, nearly as many Canadians died from this disease during the war as were killed by enemy action. More persons die from tuberculosis in Alberta than from all other infectious diseases combined.

Further plans regarding the Irma survey will be announced as they are completed. In the meantime, public health officials are most anxious that everyone give the project their whole-hearted cooperation. With this co-operation they are convinced that Irma will be well in the forefront of Alberta communities in the prevention of tuberculosis.

There will be a booth on the sports grounds on Monday, August 1st where literature will be distributed and cards will be available for registration.

### OBITUARY

#### KNUTE BERGESON GULBRAA

Knute Bergeson Gulbraa was born at Gulbraa in Eksingedalen, Voss, Norway, on September 9th, 1874. His parents were Berge Gulbraa and Martha Ekse. He was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith. At the age of 17 he emigrated to America and came to Sherman, South Dakota. He attended Red Wing Seminary in 1901-1902, after which he taught Parochial School for a number of terms and was active as a layman. In 1905 he started farming near Toronto, South Dakota. In 1917 he was united in marriage to Ida Marie Hansen at Singasas Lutheran Church, Hendricks, Minn., by the Rev. J. Ekse. To this union were born two daughters, Elizabeth and Caroline. From the year 1919 to the time of his death he lived on a farm near Estelline, S.D. He retired from farming in the spring of 1949. On July 3 he was taken ill in Saskatoon, Sask. He was on the way home from his trip to Irma, Alta., where he had been visiting his brother and other relatives. After an illness of nine days he passed away very suddenly at the age of 74 years and 10 months.

He leaves to mourn his departure his wife, two daughters, two brothers and a sister in Norway, a brother and a cousin of Irma, two nephews and one niece, and a number of other relatives.

### Wedding Bells FRASER-MILTON

A wedding of local interest took place in McDougall United Church, Edmonton, on Saturday, July 16 when Annie Milton, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Milton of Fabyan, became the bride of Clarence Fraser, only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Fraser of Wainwright.

The Rev. Bailey performed the ceremony.

The bride looked lovely in a grey gardenia suit with blue accessories and a corsage of red roses.

Her only attendant, Miss Irene Marchand, wore a pale blue gardenia suit with white accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

Mr. Lawrence Dahl supported the groom as best man. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Seven Seas for relatives and friends.

The young couple will later make their home in Wainwright.

A very enjoyable wedding dance was held at Crescent Hill school on Wednesday, July 20 where the guests were entertained by the music of Coulman's orchestra. During the evening Mr. Dietrich, on behalf of the happy couple's many friends, presented them with a host of beautiful and useful gifts. Both Mr. and Mrs. C. Fraser thanked their friends.

### Southern Sayings

Bruce Miles is holidaying at the Jackson farm and Margaret Pedal is holidaying at the Carl's farm. Bayley and Kenneth Reber of Hardisty are holidaying at their cousin's Roy Reber for a couple weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reber motored to Mannville and took in the Orange Sports. Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. Reber attended the parade with a few of the other ladies of the Irma Lodge.

George Foreman was a city visitor last week attending the fair. Mr. J. Jackson was a business visitor to the city last week.

Gerald Reber holidayed with his cousins at Hardisty last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Wiese had the misfortune of having their car bumped into last Sunday when returning from Calgary.

Mr. Bertie Jackson has given up his job at Hardisty Round House and is taking up Trucking instead.

### Heavy Rainfall Soaks District

There was something really downright and a wholehearted about the thunder showers that passed over Irma from every angle of the compass on Sunday night and the early hours of Monday morning. The fireworks and sound effects were all that could be desired while a telephone pole near the farm of C. Smallwood was reduced to kindling just to show that the lightning was the real thing.

As for rain, well even the ducks and frogs are satisfied. Our official rain recorder, Mr. J. Bolger, tells us that 1.75 inches of rain fell that night. If he had said 1.75 feet we would have believed him.

Here are some other statistics compiled by Mr. Bolger:

Rainfall from April to July 1st this year 1.97 ins. Rainfall from July 1st to July 25 5.03 ins. Rainfall last year from April to July 25 4.82 ins. Long time average from April to July 25 8.37 ins.

### CARD OF THANKS

We take this opportunity to thank you citizens of Irma as well as all surrounding districts for your patronage while we were in business here in Irma.

—Fred and Kay Clumstad.

### Battle River W.I. Half Yearly Program

Place of Meeting and Hostesses

July, Mrs. Stougaard—Mrs. Stougaard, Mrs. Eager.

August, Mrs. Pascha—Mrs. McFarland, Mrs. Sanders.

Sept., Mrs. Dootson—Mrs. Dootson, Mrs. Steele.

Oct., Mrs. Alf Bacon—Mrs. Alf Bacon, Mrs. Dempsey.

Nov., Mrs. R. King—Mrs. R. King, Mrs. Patterson.

Dec., Mrs. Fenton—Mrs. Morse, Mrs. Barton.

Roll Call

July—My Most Distasteful Task.

Aug.—My Wedding Anniversary Date.

Sept.—Where you Would Like to Spend a Holiday and Why.

Oct.—A Penny an Inch for your Waistline.

Nov.—My Pet Peeve.

Dec.—Exchange of Xmas cards and gifts.

Draw

July—Mrs. Wes. Bacon.

Aug.—Mrs. R. King.

Sept.—Mrs. Alf Bacon.

Oct.—Mrs. Sanders.

Nov.—Mrs. Steele.

Dec.—Mrs. McFarland.

Program

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Nov.—Mrs. Alf Bacon.

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Visitors to the Edmonton Exhibition were Mrs. A. Loades, Mrs. S. Obertowich, Mr. O. Skori and Rena, Mrs. F. Long and Mr. and Mrs. F. Murray.

Mrs. B. C. Carpenter and family left on the Flyer Sunday morning to spend two weeks with Mrs. Carpenter's mother in New Westminster.

Miss E. Long is spending two weeks holiday at her home here. Mr. J. Jackowich attended the wedding of his daughter Miss Mary Jackowich of Edmonton last Thursday.

Russel Gardiner is visiting friends in and around Kinsella. Mr. and Mrs. N. Harrison and Mrs. S. Bilo attended the wedding of Miss Mary Jackowich in Edmonton.

Mr. M. Mulowka has gone to Ontario to visit his son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. S. Mulowka who have just become the proud parents of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Simmons and Jack, are on a motor trip through B.C.

Mrs. Paterson and daughter Beryl left on the Flyer Thursday night to visit relative in the east before returning to England.

Miss M. Aldridge also left recently for the Old Country.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Corbett and family are visiting their relatives here in Kinsella.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Brown and family are holidaying at Pigeon Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Berg and son (nee Mildred Johannson) of Kimberley, B.C. are visiting Mrs. Berg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Johannson.

Mr. A. Stenson is visiting his mother and brother Mrs. J. Stenson and Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bowden spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. McKie.

Don't forget the "Kinsella Sports on August 3rd. Donations of pies for the booth will be gratefully accepted."

Mrs. Clarkson Paterson and daughter Beryl who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. F. Arkininstall and family left Friday morning for Toronto and intend sailing for her home in Manchester, England August 18. She will sail on the Empress of Canada.

### Church News

AVONGLEN GOSPEL MISSION

Services for week July 31 to Aug. 6

SUNDAY:

10:40 a.m.—S. School and Bible Class.

11:40 a.m.—Morning Worship service.

TUESDAY:

8 p.m.—Bible Study and Prayer service.

Due to the nice rain, for which we are thankful, the Sunday School picnic had to be postponed and the new date has been set for Aug. 3rd, with the same time and order to be followed.

"It is the Lord's mercies that we are not consumed, because His compassions fail not. They are new every morning: Great is thy faithfulness."—Lam. 3:22,23.

You are cordially invited to attend every service. Rev. R. E. Oswald.

### IRMA GOSPEL MISSION

Christian and Missionary Alliance

Sunday, July 31

10:45—Sunday School and Bible Class.

11:45—Morning Worship Service.

Wed. Aug. 3—Mid-week prayer meeting.

We extend a hearty welcome to all newcomers to Irma and district to come and fellowship with us. We welcome you—Pastor Geo. E. Warnock.

"O come, let us sing unto the Lord—let us come before His presence with thanksgiving, and make a joyful noise unto Him with psalms. Ps. 95:1-2.

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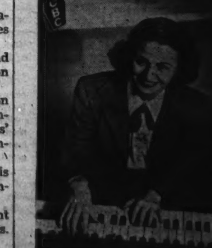
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### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to the pastor and members of the Sharon Lutheran Congregation for all of the kindnesses shown us in our bereavement.

—Mrs. K. B. Gulbraa, Elizabeth and Caroline.



DORIS VEALE is an experienced composer of incidental music for radio drama, who plays frequently in CBC network programs, including *John and Judy* which returns in the fall for its seventh season on Trans-Canada. Miss Veale is at home with most keyboard instruments, including piano, organ, celeste, and novachord.



## An Example Of Co-Operation

AT THE BEGINNING OF JULY the International Refugee Organization of the United Nations marked the end of its second year of operations. During those two years it has assisted more than 1,250,000 refugees who were waiting in camps to be settled in new homes. These people have been fed, clothed and restored to health by the I.R.O., and in addition many have received training in occupations which are likely to be useful to them in their new homes. It is doubtful if any organization of the United Nations is better known throughout the world than the I.R.O. More than 68,000 displaced persons have come to Canada under its auspices, representing thirteen per cent. of all those resettled by the organization.

### Was Undertaken By UNRRA

At the end of the war there were about eight million homeless people who were refugees from battle areas or who had been in slave camps. The situation was first dealt with by UNRRA, which undertook to provide these unfortunate people with food and clothing and return them to their homes. Millions did go back to their homes, but there remained over a million who did not wish to return to their own countries, but hoped to resettle elsewhere. It was this problem which faced the International Refugee Organization when it was created two years ago. Difficulties were encountered by the Organization in securing funds and in enlisting the co-operation of governments in carrying on the task of finding new homes for the people under its care, but these were gradually overcome as people throughout the world became aware of the urgency of the need for assistance.

### Difficulty In Securing Ships

At the time it came into existence the I.R.O. also had difficulty in securing ships to transport displaced persons to their new homes. However, a great deal has been accomplished in the past two years and the Organization now has a charter fleet of forty vessels, and has transported an average of 30,000 people each month to points in all parts of the world where there have been homes awaiting them. Although 595,000 persons have been resettled by the I.R.O., there are still 700,000 in camps, waiting to be placed. It is now hoped that this will be accomplished by July 1st, 1950, and that after that time there will be no further need for the services of the Refugee Organization. Much credit is due to those who carry on this work and to the countries who are lending their co-operation in giving homes to displaced persons. Canada has given fine support to the work which stands as an encouraging example of how international problems may be attacked by an international organization.

## Discovers Home Skin Remedy

This clean stainless antiseptic known all over Canada as Moore's Emerald Oil is such a fine healing agent that Eczema, Barber's Itch, Salt Rheum, Itching Feet and Feet, and other inflammatory skin eruptions are often relieved in a few days. Moore's Emerald Oil is pleasant to use and it is so antiseptic and penetrating that many old stubborn eruptions, standing have yielded to its influence. Moore's Emerald Oil is available in all drug stores everywhere to help rid you of stubborn pimples and unsightly skin troubles satisfaction or money back.

### RECIPES

**NEVER FAIL PIE CRUST**  
 1 1/2 cups flour  
 1/2 teaspoon salt  
 1/2 cup shortening  
 1/2 cup cold water, beaten with 1/2 egg white  
 Sift flour and salt together, cut in shortening and butter. Add cold water and egg white, mix lightly with fork. Chill for few moments if possible.  
 Divide into two parts and roll on slightly floured board to desired thickness.  
 Brush top crust lightly with little top milk. Bake in hot oven (400 deg. F.) for 15 minutes. Reduce heat to 350 deg. F. Fill pie is baked and crust nicely browned.

**FRESH APRICOT PIE**  
 3 cups pitted and halved apricots  
 1/2 cup sugar  
 or 1/2 cup corn syrup  
 1 teaspoon melted butter  
 1 teaspoon lemon juice  
 One recipe flaky pastry  
 Line a deep pie dish with pastry and sprinkle the bottom lightly with a few very finely rolled cracker crumbs. Fill with apricots. Combine sugar or syrup, butter and lemon juice. Pour over apricots and sprinkle with 2 tablespoons finely rolled cracker crumbs.  
 Brush edge of pie lightly with cold water, place top pastry on, pinching the edges and pricking the top well. Place in oven at 400 deg. F. for 10 minutes, reduce heat to 350 deg. F. for 25 minutes longer.

### To Make Marriage Easier In Ontario

TORONTO—They're going to make marriage just a little bit easier to get into in Ontario.  
 Beginning Aug. 2, one of two forms now required for marriage will be eliminated and the officiating clergyman won't have to ply the bride and groom with a series of questions. All he'll have to do is certify as to the persons being married.  
 The couple, however, still will have to all in answers to 29 questions required by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

About 10 per cent. of the Yugoslav army is composed of women.

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**INARD'S**  
 KING OF PAIN  
**MINIMEN**



**A REAL PIONEER**—Edgar Mott is still a pioneer at 75. He homesteaded in Southern Saskatchewan in 1904 and stayed on his original homestead until 1947, becoming a figure in municipal affairs. Then he moved to two acres of uncleared land near new Westminster and now has it cleared and a fine house and garage built. He is shown here picking his first crop of peas on his second pioneer venture.

## Sprinkler System Used By Alberta Farmers Successful

LETHBRIDGE, Alta.—The sprinkler system of watering a lawn is being applied this year to sugar beet and vegetable farming in the Lethbridge irrigation district of southern Alberta.

Just as the city-dweller can do two jobs at the same time with the aid of a lawn sprinkler, the irrigation farmer now may give his attention to other chores while a big sprinkler system waters his crops.

Previously the flooding and furrow methods have been the accepted means of spreading water from the irrigation canals to the cropland. The sprinkler system takes the "back-breaking" out of this work.

Those using the new system say it is a big improvement on the conventional irrigation methods. It saves manpower, provides more even crop growth with less water and eliminates costly land leveling because it can water up and down hill.

Sprinkler irrigation is done through light-weight aluminum piping which is laid out over the crop land. Water, pumped in under pressure, shoots out of the pipe at 40-foot intervals through spray-nozzles.

One setting of the pipe will irrigate an area 90 feet wide and the length of the system, which covers up to five acres of land at one setting.

Beet and vegetable growers have found that they can make three to four "sets" a day, irrigating 12 or more acres of land. It takes only between 30 minutes and an hour to change the position of the pipes.

Under the old methods of irrigation, five acres of watering was considered a good day's work.

### X-RAYS FOR INDIANS

OTTAWA.—Hon. Paul Martin, health minister announced a strong drive against tuberculosis in the northwest.

He said several thousand Indians in Alberta, the Yukon and Northwest Territories would be x-rayed, along with a large number of the white population.

## More Fruit, Less Vegetables In Harvest

OTTAWA.—More fruit, less vegetables—that's the outlook for Canadian crops to be harvested this fall. The Bureau of Statistics today issued its first 1949 estimates on production, reporting that corn will be the only one of the home-grown vegetables more plentiful at harvesting time.

Acres of asparagus, beans, peas, and tomatoes under contract to vegetable processors is sharply reduced. Loganberries, a British Columbia crop, will be down, too. But prospects are for more apples, pears, plums, prunes, peaches, grapes, apricots and cherries.

Corn acreage is 23 per cent. greater than last year. Apple production is estimated at 16,770,000 bushels, 25 per cent. above 1948. The pear crop is expected to be 831,000 bushels, slightly larger than the 789,000 last year. A 15 per cent. increase is looked for in the peach crop, currently estimated at 2,025,000 bushels. Plums and prunes should be up to 74,000 bushels compared with 671,000.

Apricots, grown commercially only in B.C., are expected to be about 172,000 bushels—20,000 more than last year. Production of cherries is expected to be around 404,000 bushels, just three per cent. higher than a year ago.

Loganberries are down to 1,248,000 pounds compared with 2,261,000 in 1948. The grape crop is expected to amount to 64,329,000 pounds or 12 per cent. above the 1948 level.

Following is the acreage of vegetables under contract to processors, with figures for 1948 in brackets: Asparagus 780 (1,210); beans 5,020 (8,150); corn 63,180 (51,550); peas 33,120 (49,220); tomatoes 35,980 (67,120).

## Soldiers Making Christmas Toys

OTTAWA.—It's unparadoxically unseasonable, but Christmas is in the air around Canadian Army camps these days.

In their spare time, soldiers are busy making toys for underprivileged children in Britain. The deadline is Sept. 30.

The army makes them, the Red Cross gets them to the ports, the United Emergency Fund gets them overseas, and the British—pardon, Santa Claus—distributes them. Many letters of thanks have come in for the same sort of effort last year.

### CATTLE KILLED BY FLIES

MELFORT, Sask.—Twelve head of cattle in this district were reported killed this year from attacks by black flies. The flies were blown in by high northwesterly winds.

Prison Warden—"I've had charge of this prison for 10 years. We're going to celebrate. What kind of a party do you boys suggest?" Prisoners—"Open house".

## Angus Calf, "Joe Louis"



This prize Angus calf, named Joe Louis, belongs to Harvey Perrin of MacLeod, Alta. He was snapped here before taking a prize at the Calf Club Show at MacLeod.

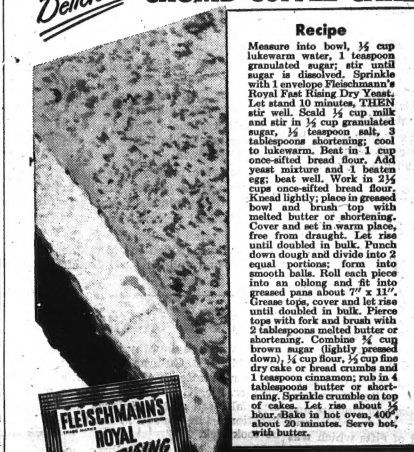
### BUDDING POLITICIAN

A colleague, says Napier Moore, in the Financial Post, reports the first dawning of political consciousness on the part of his young son. The boy came home from school and to his mother said, "Mumme, are you a preservative?"

### TRAVELLING TIP

When you are packing your travelling case for a trip, make a list of all items you need and paste it inside your case cover. Check off each item as you lay it on the bed or dresser for packing.

## Delicious CRUMB COFFEE CAKE



**Recipe**  
 Measure into bowl, 1/2 cup lukewarm water, 1 teaspoon granulated sugar, stir until sugar is dissolved. Sprinkle with 1 envelope Fleischmann's Royal Fast Rising Dry Yeast. Let stand 10 minutes. THEN stir well. Scald 1/2 cup milk and stir in 1/2 cup granulated sugar, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 3 tablespoons shortening, cool to lukewarm. Beat in 1 cup once-sifted bread flour. Add yeast mixture and 1 beaten egg; beat well. Work in 2 1/2 cups once-sifted bread flour. Knead lightly; place in greased bowl and brush top with melted butter or shortening. Cover and set in warm place, free from draught. Let rise until doubled in bulk. Punch down dough and divide into 2 equal portions; form into smooth balls. Roll each piece into an oblong and fit into greased pans about 7" x 11". Grease tops, cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Pierce tops with fork and brush with 2 tablespoons melted butter or shortening. Combine 1/4 cup brown sugar (lightly pressed down), 1/4 cup flour, 1/2 cup fine dry cake or bread crumbs and 1 teaspoon cinnamon; rub in 4 tablespoons butter or shortening. Sprinkle crumbs on top of cakes. Let rise about 1/2 hour. Bake in hot oven, 400°, about 20 minutes. Serve hot with butter.

New Fast-Acting Dry Yeast Needs No Refrigeration!

Stays fresh and full-strength on your pantry shelf for weeks! Here's all you do:

- 1 In a small amount (usually specified) of lukewarm water, dissolve thoroughly 1 teaspoon sugar for each envelope of yeast.
- 2 Sprinkle with dry yeast. Let stand 10 minutes.
- 3 THEN stir well. (The water used with the yeast counts as part of the total liquid called for in your recipe.)

Order a month's supply!

### NO TEDIOUS LONG-BOILING

## One Minute only for both Jams and Jellies

When you use Certo or "Certo" Crystals your jams and jellies need only a ONE-MINUTE full, rolling boil. This short boil does more than save you time and work.

Since so little juice has time to boil away, you get an average yield of 10 glasses where old, long-boil would only yield about 6.

And the lovely taste and colour of fresh fruit stay in your jams and jellies because the boil is too short to spoil the one or dull the other.

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## OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

## THE BUTLER

By Louis Arthur Cunningham

"ANNA, I have a surprise for you, quite the best and most curious surprise. 'Wallace!'"

A figure loomed out of the gloomy porters of the door leading to the servants' quarters.

"This is your mistress, Wallace," said Dr. Benet. "And these little pests are Julian and Rose who will plague the life out of you if you let them."

"I am at your service, madam, and the children's," said Wallace with a bow that charmed Julian and ravished Rose. But Mrs. Benet gathered her children closer to her and tried not to look at Wallace as though he were Death resurrected and clad in the stately garb of a butler.

Because it was dark and because he was elated with his wife's return—she had been away for months—Dr. Benet failed to mark her agitation. Wallace was as impassive.

"Dinner at eight, sir," he asked smoothly and departed when Doctor Benet nodded.

"Come, Anna," said the doctor. "Has Wallace overruled you or so filled you with admiration that you just want to stand and marvel? He is a splendid domestic. I acquired him through Colonel Tupper. The Colonel found him in the war or in one of the hospitals after. The man is entirely without memory of the past—not shell-shock, the usual thing; but some defect in the bones at the base of the skull where a bullet nicked him. I hired him so I could study him as well as benefit by his services."

"I . . . I understand," said Anna Benet, and the doctor attributed her tired, low-pitched voice to the fatigue of her journey.

But Anna was not tired. Her body—the slimly-moulded, graceful body of a matron who has never forfeited her girlhood, seemed no longer to exist. She was all spirit, and that spirit was suffering. She sent Julian and Rose away with Sims, the maid, and went quickly to her own room.

There and cost she threw thoughtfully on the bed and lay down beside them. Her temples throbbed. She had lost track of events and lived in a topsy-turvy world that was a shifting chaos—but out of the hurly-burly one thing resolved itself into rigid lines—the tall, sedate figure of Wallace, the butler; for Wallace was Anna Carvil's husband and Dr. Benet . . . was just a man, and Julian and Rose . . .

Anna Carvil and Wallace—he was Anton Rise then—had met and married in England a few weeks before he was sent to the front. Shortly after, he was reported killed in action and Anna had returned to America to find consolation in the love of Dr. Gene Benet. A year after Anton's death they were married. Five years of pure, crowded happiness had followed—years that had brought Julian and Rose, that had showed her the sterling worth of

Gene Benet and caused her to forget the two weeks with Anton Rise. She had never loved Anton. It was a feverish impulse born of the fevered days of war that had thrust her into his arms. They had not been happy; it was madness, compared to which the sweet, sane love she had for Dr. Benet was the waking calm after a dream of passion.

She realized that she must prepare for dinner. She would have to face Wallace again. Gene had assured her that Wallace had no memory of events, but at any time, all might come back to him. And with her, who had been his wife, always near . . . What would it mean to Gene, to the children? Would it destroy everything? Would Anton claim her? Would Gene want her? But perhaps she yielded to unnecessary fears. He might never regain his memory. She would ask Gene if cases such as the butler's were often cured.

It was Gene, at dinner, who gave her new fears and destroyed what little hope she had.

"Tomorrow I am going to operate on Wallace—a little cutting at the base of the skull. I think I can restore his memory. It is a most fascinating piece of work."

Anna did not speak. She would have liked to cry out to Gene . . . to tell him he was destroying their happiness with his own hand. But there behind his chair stood Wallace, straight and impassive. She did not speak.

A few weeks later Wallace gave notice. He was going back to Europe, he told Dr. Benet, and much regretted leaving. Anna, her hopes restored, confident that he would never remember, told him she was sorry to see him go; but in her heart she was glad to be free of his presence.

She drove Wallace to the station; Gene was called to a patient the morning of the butler's departure and had asked her to see the man away.

"Goodbye, Wallace," said Anna, and gave him her hand just before he boarded the train. "I am sorry my husband could not do anything for you. Someday, perhaps, you will remember . . ."

He looked at her in his impassive, rigid way.

"No, I will never remember . . . Anna."

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Was The Doctor  
Destroying Happiness  
By His Own Hand?

In the morning after breakfast she heard, as one hears the preliminary noises of a volcano that soon will drown people in destruction, the opening and shutting of doors in her husband's laboratory. The operation, he had told her, would not take long. It was almost sure to be a success.

An hour passed. Anna lived through several years. At any moment her husband and . . . her other husband would come downstairs to her and . . . Her emotion was too great for tears, but her hands clenched and her lips so tight-pressed, her eyes so wild, showed how she warred against fate and tried futilely to master her anxiety.

Upstairs the door opened, they were coming along the hall, down the stairs, talking. She heard the butler's voice. It sounded different, less subdued to her, more like Anton's voice.

They came into the living-room where she sat. She tried to look at them; yet a fascination not to be resisted drew her eyes to Anton's face, then to her husband's.

The butler's face was ghastly. Gene Benet looked troubled, baffled, disappointed.

"It did not work, Anna," he said. "And I could have sworn it would. Everything went as I had it planned. You're sure you recall nothing whatever of your past, Wallace? Perhaps in a day or so . . ."

"I remember nothing, sir," said Wallace. "I guess it will always be like that."

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B.C. Turkey Eggs  
Rated Top By  
Scottish Poultrymen

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.—British Columbia turkey eggs have been rated top by Scottish Poultrymen.

A trial shipment of 100-broad-breasted bronze hatching eggs shipped to Scotland this spring from Vancouver Island have proved 57 per cent hatchable.

Eighty-one per cent of the eggs were fertile and all points hatched have lived.

LIQUID LINOLEUM  
An English firm has developed a liquid linoleum which is poured ¼-inch-thick over the floor, allowed to dry for 24 hours and then polished.

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THE TILLERS

HOW DO YOU LIKE IT? WELL, YOU'LL LOVE IT! AS YOUNG AND PRETTY THE DAY I MARRIED YOU!

FLATTERER! I OFTEN WONDER HOW I GOT OLD AND UGLY WHEN I GET OLD AND UGLY!

OF COURSE YOU DO! WHY MUM? WUZAT 22?

BY BOLLY SHE'S STILL PRETTY YOUNG AND SWEET IF YOU ASK ME!

—By Chuck Thurston

PEGGY

I DON'T CARE IF JESSIE COLES' FATHER DID HIT HER A DAB-LING NEW OUTFIT! THE ONE YOU GOT LAST SPRING IS STILL GOOD!

I UNDERSTAND DADDY...

...JESSIE CAN RINE ALL SHE WANTS ABOUT THE MONEY HER FATHER MAKES. SUPPOSE HE IS A BIGGER SUCCESS IN BUSINESS THAN YOU—HE'S NOT HALF AS SWEET!

JOHN COLES MAKES MORE THAN I DO! I AM SO PROUD HER SAYING HE'S MORE SUCCESSFUL BECAUSE HE DECKS HIS DAUGHTER OUT LIKE A MAYPOLE. SHE CALLS ROBERT HILL FROCKS AND ORDER JESSIE AN OUTFIT! ONLY GET THE DE LUXE MODEL!

HMM—I THINK SHE OUTFITTED ME AGAIN!

—By Chuck Thurston

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## New Plowing Champion Declared



Part of the crowd of the Portage la Prairie, Man., Plowing Match watch Wm. Jessiman, Darlingford, winner of the walking plow class, making his finish.



Left, where the plow and the one-way disc meet at Portage Plowing Match; left, plowed land; right, discing the new provincial plowing champion at Portage, J. Mead, "gathering in" his land.

## Western Briefs

MONSTER THIEF  
CARROT RIVER.—Excitement ran high here recently when a brown bear, eight feet long and 530 pounds, was discovered in the yard of Jim Crozier's farm, nine miles southeast of here. Mr. Crozier and his son, Kenneth, each took a shot with their rifles. The bear lurched, ran 50 yards and died.

GETS LUTHERAN POST  
REGINA.—Rev. H. Kroeger of Yellowknife, Sask., was elected first vice-president of the Canada district of the American Lutheran Church in elections to fill executive vacancies for the current year. Other officers included: secretary, Rev. K. Reimer, Nichie, N.D.

NEW OIL WELL  
LYLETON, Man.—Dry gas and oil have been reported found on the farm of Gordon White, three miles southeast of this town almost at the junction of the Saskatchewan and United States boundaries. The No. 1 test well of the Souris Valley Oil company was said to have shown oil at the 5,100-foot level.

SPECS CAUGHT FIRE  
CARROT RIVER, Sask.—Robert J. Sterritt has learned it's dangerous to light cigarette butts. He suffered facial scars and singed eyebrows when the rims of his spectacles caught fire.

CHICK POPULATION  
ON DECLINE IN  
BRITISH COLUMBIA

VANCOUVER.—The voice of the chicken is being heard less and less in British Columbia this year.

Thousands of empty poultry houses dot the countryside. "For sale" signs are mushrooming along the road in front of small farms—monuments to the marginal producer's fear of shrinking markets.

The "grave danger" of non-renewal of Canadian egg contracts with Britain for 1949-50 is the biggest headache for B.C.'s \$15,000,000 poultry industry.

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## Some Job

EAST ORANGE, N.J.—The U.S. department of agriculture is blockading a 125,000 square mile area on the eastern seaboard in an attempt to isolate the Japanese beetle.

The blockade, extends from southern Maine to North Carolina.

Dead volcanoes far outnumber the living.

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DOES  
INDIGESTION  
WALLOP YOU  
BELOW THE BELT?

Help Your Digestion "28" For The Kind Of Relief That Helps Make You Ready To Go

More than half of your digestion is done below the belt—in your 28 feet of bowels. Be when indigestion strikes, try something that helps digestion in the stomach AND below the belt.

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If you wish to use old bottles for something they did not contain originally, you may cleanse them of all odours by adding some dry mustard to bottle half full of water. Shake well, let stand for an hour and then rinse thoroughly.

## Announcement

**G. F. WILLOUGHBY, Optometrist**  
will be at

**Wainwright**

every Saturday, commencing Saturday, July 30th

APPOINTMENTS AT WALKER'S JEWELRY

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## Locals

We would like to extend our good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Holt whose recent wedding took place in Winnipeg. They will reside in Edmonton.

Winnie Reeves, is on holidays at Mannville with her family. Mrs. Torrance has taken over her duties at the egg station while she is away.

Mr. Sinnermon, butcher at the Co-op, is on holidays. Carl Sonoff is very efficiently filling the position while Bob is away.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Lee, Miss Edythe Larson and Mr. Jack Sox of Vancouver, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Larson last week. Edythe is staying for a few weeks holiday with relatives and friends at Irma.

Miss Vera Prosser returned to her duties with the staff at the Wainwright hospital after a month holiday at her home here.

Don't forget the big sports day at Irma August 1. Plenty of fun for all. Better start thinking of some lines to conclude this verse: For tiller, plough, combine or tractor,

Just remember this one factor Cockshutt machines are always first.

So buy at Rodewoldt and Hurst. There's a cash prize offered. And pies are welcome.

Please keep in mind the Sale of Home Cooking under the auspices of St. Mary's W.A. to be held in Kirkman and McLean's Store on Saturday, July 30th.

The Minutes of the M.D. of Wainwright meeting will be published next week.

We would like to compliment the Junior High School on the fine Year Book they have published this summer. This is the first Year Book ever produced in the Irma Schools. We hope it will be an annual event.

Mrs. G. Watkinson is planning to leave Irma on August 2nd to travel to Seattle where she will visit with her old friend Mrs. Thorpe whom she has not seen for twenty years. We all wish Mrs. Watkinson a most enjoyable holiday.

Mrs. Marko and sons left Irma last week to visit with Mrs. Marko's mother at Highbridge, Alta. Mrs. R. O. Larson and Bruce were among those who took in the Edmonton Exhibition last week.

At last folks have stopped saying "I'm sure you had more rain than we did."

Mrs. D. H. Gunn and small daughters have returned to Irma from Fort Saskatchewan where they holidayed with Mrs. Gunn's parents.

Work has been slowed down on the new school owing to the amount of water which drained into the basement during the recent heavy rains.

The ladies who will be in charge of the booth at the forthcoming sports on August 1 will welcome donations of pies.

Mrs. A. R. McRoberts has moved her household effects into the upstairs suite at the lake house where she has now taken up residence.

Miss Shirley Pyle left Irma on Saturday morning's flyer for New Westminster, B.C., where she will visit with her grandfather Mr. F. Pyle and with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Glover and girls.

Mr. Art Gwinn enjoyed a visit last week from his sister Mrs. H. Weaver of Victoria, B.C. Also his nephew Mr. Bud Weaver and family of Cowichan Lake, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cody and family of Ardmore spent last week end at home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Gwinn.

Don't forget that Monday afternoon, August 1 will be a civic holiday. All places of business in Irma will be closed for the sports. Mrs. Stanley Bath of Wainwright spent Thursday with Mrs. Parke.

Mrs. J. Marshall returned to Irma last week-end after visiting with relatives in the city.

## HAVE YOU EVER HUNTED BUFFALOES?

The Historical Society of Alberta is very anxious to contact any man who actually took part in a Buffalo Hunt. Should such a person be located, he will be invited to take part in the unveiling of a Cairn to be erected to commemorate the preservation and maintenance of the Buffalo. The Cairn is being built in Elk Island National Park by the Historic Sites and Monuments Board of Canada. Anyone who can assist in this search is requested to communicate as soon as possible with Col. F. C. Jamieson, 212 Macleod Bldg., Edmonton. Telephone 26590.

## KIEFER'S SHOWS

Friday, July 29th

Sitting Pretty

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One Show 8:40 p.m.

Friday Aug. 5—one show 8:40 p.m.

Bachelor and the Bobby Soxer

Cary Grant, Myrna Loy, Shirley Temple.  
(Family Picture)

## DANCE

FRANK BOUCHARD AND HIS EDMONTON ORCHESTRA will play for a dance in the IRMA KIEFER'S HALL ON THURSDAY, AUGUST 4th  
Come and enjoy the music

## With the Field Supervisor

By F. W. Maddey  
Wainwright

**Blood Testing and Vaccination:**  
Due to a recent interview with Dr. Saville, Veterinarian, I find that a number of districts aren't getting organized very fast for blood testing and vaccination against "Bang's" Disease. Dr. Saville reports that he has a large district to cover in both Alberta and Saskatchewan, therefore it would appear that the first there first served, in other words, the district which gets organized first will get the service first.

In order to speed up the organization and eventually stamp out this dread disease, I am willing to accept farmers names and number of cows and calves to be blood tested and vaccinated. I will also accept a list of cows to be tested for T.B. Application forms will soon be available in this office for T.B. testing. Unless each and every farmer co-operates we are unable to assist you.

**National Film Board:**  
The programme circuit is completed for the summer months. There will be no circuit during August as I will be away on holidays after August 11th. The fall circuit will commence again on or about September 12th. Watch your local paper for announcement of places and dates.

**Summerfallow:**  
Due to the recent rains we can expect a heavy growth of weeds on the summerfallows. When there is ample moisture the weeds grow fast and it is therefore easier to kill a number of more common weeds such as wild oats, stinkweed and Canada and Sow thistles. Wild Oats are easiest killed when they are four or five inches high. Canada and Sow thistles should not be allowed to get more than seven days growth above the ground, otherwise you are fighting a losing battle in their control. Fall Rye is still considered a good bet in the control of weeds if seeded during the latter part of August on summerfallow. Do not neglect the summerfallow from now until freeze-up.

## Viking Curling Club 3-Day Carnival August 17-19

The annual carnival sponsored by the Viking Curling Club will be held this year for three days, August 17, 18 and 19 in the curling rink. Preparations are now under way to make it bigger, better and more interesting than ever for everybody. Besides the usual games of skill, etc., there will be "horse races" direct from Santa Anita race track in California where 49 of the best horses from the orange and grapefruit country will compete in seven races. This will be the first time that they have appeared in Alberta. This should be a great attraction for horse race fans. It is expected too that there will be rides and ponies for the kiddies.

Keep August 17, 18 and 19 as open dates to be at the curling club carnival.

Tickets are now on sale on a draw for a chesterfield suite and an electric or gas powered washing machine. Funds are needed to complete the building and pay off the indebtedness so let's make this a real community effort.

## FORM "C"

The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities)

## SALE AND REDEMPTION OF IMPOUNDED ANIMALS (Sec. 48)

Notice is hereby given under Section 48 of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that I brown mare with 3 white feet and white face, no visible brand, and 1 grey gelding, branded N on left shoulder, and 1 grey mare, with no visible brand were impounded in the pound kept by J. W. Matthews. Located on the NW 36-47-9-4 on the 12th day of July A.D. 1949, and that the said animals were sold on the 22nd day of July 1949 to W. C. Lukens of Irma and that said animal may be redeemed by the owner or on his behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in The Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the municipality and the purchaser of said animal.

For information apply to the undersigned.

ROY W. HAY, Sec.-Treas., Municipality of Minburn, No. 72.  
Post Office: MANNVILLE.

## World of Wheat

By H. G. L. Strange

## Cutworm Damage for 1950

The Dominion Field Crop Insect Laboratory forecasts a serious outbreak of cutworms over the prairies during the year 1950.

Farmers have to contend with many hazards, some of which are quite beyond their control. Cutworm damage, however, is among those hazards which farmers can themselves control, to a great extent at least. The procedure recommended to control cutworms is as follows: Ploughing and cultivating on summerfallow fields should cease at the end of July. The land then should not be disturbed after this date and until the first half of September. If this is done a crust will form on the land and cutworm moths will not lay their eggs in such fields. Care must be taken, however, that the crust is not broken by allowing livestock to pasture or run on the fields. If this simple method is followed, farmers will be saved from a great deal of the cutworm damage forecast for 1950. It has been found that if the land has been well cultivated up to the end of July that the weeds which grow after that date will not use up any excessive amount of moisture. Farmers, therefore, are strongly urged to follow this practice in the management of their summerfallow fields.

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### NOTICE TO FARMERS

Starting August 1st hogs will be received on Monday each week, instead of Friday.—G. T. P. Shipping Association, Carl, Anquist. 29-5

## DONATIONS IN Memory of K. B. GULBRAA

To Camrose Lutheran College by: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fedel and Pat; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knudson; Mr. and Mrs. S. Nilson and family; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Fluevog and family; Mr. and Mrs. P. Nilson; Mr. and Mrs. O. Likness and family; Mr. and Mrs. L. Satre and family; Mr. and Mrs. L. Holling and Gordon.

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Sharon Lutheran Church — Mrs. K. B. Gulbraa, Elizabeth and Caroline.

## Announcement

We of the IRMA MACHINE WORKS are doing our best to put Irma on the map. Having already made special machines and repairs from Ottawa to Vancouver, we are doing our best to wake up and clean up the town. We hope to have your co-operation in making August 1st a special day here. Please be on time to see the big parade. We intend to display a sign on our truck giving a cash prize to the one who can supply the best 2, 3 or 4 lines to the verse. Other interesting entertainment and prizes will also be offered by us.

## Irma Machine Works

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